RAILWAYS ORDINANCE (Chapter 519) (Notice under section 23)

SHATIN TO CENTRAL LINK

NOTICE OF ORDER AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PARTS OF THE OPEN SPACE IN MA CHAI HANG RECREATION GROUND; A FOOTBRIDGE RAMP AND A FOOTBRIDGE STAIRCASE TO THE SOUTHWEST OF MA CHAI HANG RECREATION GROUND; AND A SECTION OF MA CHAI HANG ROAD

Notice is hereby given that under section 22(1) of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519), the Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport) has, by order made on 10 February 2014 (the 'Order'), authorized: –

- (I) (a) the temporary closure of part of the open space in Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in green on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2;
 - (b) the temporary partial closure of the footbridge ramp and a footbridge staircase to the southwest of Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in pink on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2; and
 - (c) the temporary partial closure of the section of Ma Chai Hang Road between its junction with Chuk Yuen Road and the roundabout at its junction with Fung Mo Street, as delineated and shown in orange on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2,

during the period from 1 March 2014 to 28 February 2015, and

(II) the temporary closure of part of the open space in Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0014/2 during the period from 12 April 2014 to 28 February 2015,

for the purposes of or incidental to the railway scheme of the Shatin to Central Link. A description of the works to be carried out, the parts of the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the section of the road to be affected and the manner in which they will be affected is given in the Schedule below.

A copy of the Order and the Plans numbered SCL/G07/0012/2 and SCL/G07/0014/2 (the 'Plans') may be inspected by the public free of charge at the following places and during the following hours when those offices are normally open to the public: -

Places	Opening Hours (except public holidays)
Central and Western District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Unit 5, Ground Floor, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong.	
Wong Tai Sin District Office, Public Enquiry Service Centre, Unit 201, 2nd Floor, Lung Cheung Office Block, 138 Lung Cheung Road, Wong Tai Sin, Kowloon.	Monday to Friday 9.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
District Lands Office/Kowloon East and West, 10th Floor, Yau Ma Tei Carpark Building, 250 Shanghai Street, Kowloon.	Monday to Friday 8.45 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 p.m. – 5.30 p.m.

Copies of the Order and the Plans may be purchased from the Railway Development Office of the Highways Department. Enquiries on purchasing details can be made to the Highways Department at telephone number 2762 3976. The electronic version of the Order and the Plans are viewable on the Highways Department's website (http://www.hyd.gov.hk/eng/road_and_railway/railway_projects/index.htm).

A copy of this notice will be affixed on or near the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road affected by the Order on 14 February 2014.

Any person having a compensatable interest under the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) may serve a written claim upon the Secretary for Transport and Housing on 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong so as to reach the Secretary before the expiration of one year from the closure of the relevant part or parts of the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road or the extinction, modification or restriction of his private right in respect of the relevant part or parts of the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road affected by the Order.

Notice is hereby given that further closure of the same part or parts of the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road or any of such part or parts may be required upon expiration of the Order. Details of any further order for closure will be published if and when such an order is made.

SCHEDULE

The open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road to be affected

- (a) The open space in Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in green on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2.
- (b) The footbridge ramp and the footbridge staircase to the southwest of Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in pink on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2.
- (c) The section of Ma Chai Hang Road between its junction with Chuk Yuen Road and the roundabout at its junction with Fung Mo Street, as delineated and shown in orange on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0012/2.
- (d) The open space in Ma Chai Hang Recreation Ground, as delineated and shown in red on the Plan numbered SCL/G07/0014/2.

Description of the works and the manner in which the open space, the footbridge ramp, the footbridge staircase and the road will be affected

Part of the open space will be temporarily closed to facilitate the construction of ventilation building, railway tunnel at Ma Chai Hang and associated railway facilities of the Shatin to Central Link.

The footbridge ramp will be temporarily closed for demolition and the footbridge staircase will be temporarily closed to facilitate the construction of ventilation building, railway tunnel at Ma Chai Hang and associated railway facilities of the Shatin to Central Link.

Parts of the carriageway and footpath widths will be temporarily closed to facilitate the construction of ventilation building, railway tunnel at Ma Chai Hang and associated railway facilities of the Shatin to Central Link.

Part of the open space will be temporarily closed to facilitate the construction of ventilation building, railway tunnel at Ma Chai Hang and associated railway facilities of the Shatin to Central Link.

Statement on Personal Data

Any information, including the personal data, submitted to the Secretary for Transport and Housing in connection with any written claims as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance (Chapter 519) will be used for the processing of the claims and other related purposes. The provision of the information, including the personal data, as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance is obligatory. If such information, including the personal data, as required under section 34 of the Railways Ordinance is not provided as requested, the claims may be rejected. Any information, including the personal data, so submitted may be disclosed to the relevant government departments and other organizations or agencies which are required to handle the claims and related matters. For access to or correction of the personal data, please write to the Transport and Housing Bureau at 22nd Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong.

10 February 2014

Rebecca PUN Deputy Secretary for Transport and Housing (Transport)